to enable different Ministries of Government of India and States/UTs to prepare their respective Plans to tackle disasters.

(c) NOMA has also prepared formats for Mitigation Plans, which the Ministries/ Departments of Government of India required for preparation of Mitigation Plans relating to disasters they are concerned with. In addition NDMA has initiated work on preparation of Detailed Project Reports for National level Mitigation Projects, which include Cyclone, Earthquake, National Communication Project and Pilot School Safety Programme. Mock exercises are being conducted in the States. Last year, 20 such exercises were conducted and 35 are planned during 2008-09 out of which 13 have already been completed.

(d) Question does not arise.

Diversion and misuse of relief funds

1768. SHRI BANWARI LAL KANCHHAL: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether money collected for relief to those hit by the Orissa super cyclone and Gujarat earthquake has not reached the victims;

(b) if so, the action Government proposes to take for diversion and misuse of relief funds;

(c) whether Red Cross funds have also been diverted to buy cars, air conditioners, cell phones, furnitures *etc.*; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRIMATI RADHIKA V. SELVI): (a) This Ministry has received no report of diversion of the money collected for relief to those affected by the Orissa super-cyclone and Gujarat earthquake.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) As per information received from the Indian Red Cross Society, Orissa and Gujarat State Disaster management Authority, there is no report of Red Cross funds being diverted to buy cars, air-conditioners, cell phones, furnitures, *etc.*, out of funds earmarked for relief and rehabilitation activities.

(d) Does not arise.

Official documents in possession of terrorists

1769. SHRI PRAKASH JAVADEKAR: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that there are thousands of official documents like the voter ID cards, driving licences and passports in the possession of persons inimical to the country;

(b) whether it is also fact that in the past couple of months security personnels have recovered several voter ID cards from slain terrorists;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) whether Government has initiated or proposes to initiate action to weed out corrupt officials with whose connivance unauthorized persons are able to obtain these official documents?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SHRIPRAKASH JAISWAL): (a) to (d) Instances of recovery of fake voter identity cards, driving licences, ration cards, PAN cards, and passports from the possession of persons Inimical to the country such as terrorists, including slain militants, espionage agents and also from the persons other than terrorists and espionage agents have come to notice.

As per available Inputs, 25 arrested espionage agents and members of modules busted were found to be In possession of various types of official identity documents such as voter Identity cards, driving licences, ration cards, PAN cards election identity cards and passports.

All such cases are examined In accordance with relevant provisions of law, and action is taken against the erring officials by the concerned agencies/Government.

Beneficiaries of US based charities

1770. SHRI B.K. HARIPRASAD: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether during the fiscal 2006, US based charities registered as Ekal Vidyalaya and India Development Relief Fund allocated sizeable amounts in foreign exchange under programme services in India;

(b) if so, the beneficiaries of these remittances in India;

(c) whether the beneficiaries of these forex funds are registered under FCRA and if so, the names and amounts credited to each of these beneficiaries;

(d) whether these funds meant for communal organizations based in Orissa, were routed through conduits from Delhi, Uttar Pradesh and Maharashtra; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SHRIPRAKASH JAISWAL): (a) to (c) As per the information available, foreign contribution of an amount of Rs. 9,18,21,681/- and Rs. 2,53,16,518/- was donated by US based Ekal Vidyalaya Foundation and India Development Relief Fund respectively to Indian recipient associations registered under FCRA 1976. The names of Indian recipient associations and the amount received by each of them during the year 2006-07 are given in the Statement. (*see* below)

(d) and (e) There is no specific information available in this regard.